In MATHS we will be studying a number of areas including: identifying and naming angles, multiplication and division with remainders, negative numbers, perimeter and area, and measurement.

Our weekly **HOMEWORK** will be:

- A piece of English
- A piece of maths
- -(alternate weeks)
- --Spellings

The children are expected to read to an adult at least five times a week. This should be recorded in their reading record book which must be brought in to school everyday.

In **SCIENCE** we will be learning about life cycles of plants, animals and mammals. We will also learn about the changes experienced during puberty.

Birch and Elder Class

Our theme this term is

Water.

We will be learning about...

In GEOGRAPHY we will be studying mountains rivers and coasts. The children will develop their understanding of physical and human features and how the water cycle is vital to the environment.

In **COMPUTING** children will be learning about the purpose and function of spreadsheets.

In **ART/DT** we will be painting in the style of Paul Signac and learning about pointillism. We will be scanning digital images and exploring the use of software to alter them. We will also be learning to link certain textiles to habitats and building waterproof shelter..

> In **PE** children will be taking part in football, rounders and health and fitness. They will need to have the correct PE kit of a red t-shirt, black shorts and black plimsolls/trainers in school at all times.

In **ENGLISH** we will be enjoying a range of poetry and writing our own in a similar form. We will also be linking our topic work to writing explanation and instruction texts. We will also be using pictorial stimulus as a basis for story writing.